



PATENT

Appl. No. 09/404,427

Attorney Docket No. 450127-02216

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Shinji NODA  
Appl. No. : 09/404,427  
Filed : September 23, 1999  
For : METHOD OF AUTHENTICATING INFORMATION, DISK  
PLAYBACK APPARATUS, AND ENTERTAINMENT APPARATUS  
Art Unit : 2135  
Examiner : AKPATI, Odaiche T.

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Name of Applicant, Assignee or Registered Representative

*Hans R. Mahr*  
Signature

April 15, 2005

Date of Signature

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of December 15, 2004, please amend the above-  
identified application as follows:

14/19/2005 FNETEK11 00000009 09404427

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PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD				Application or Docket Number	
Effective November 10, 1998				09/404,427	
<b>CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I</b>					
(Column 1)		(Column 2)			
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA			
BASIC FEE					
TOTAL CLAIMS	32	minus 20=	12		
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	minus 3 =			
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT					
* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2					
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II</b>					
(Column 1)		(Column 2)	(Column 3)		
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		
Total	29	minus	32		
Independent	3	minus	3		
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					
(Column 1)		(Column 2)	(Column 3)		
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		
Total	29	minus	32		
Independent	3	minus	3		
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					
(Column 1)		(Column 2)	(Column 3)		
AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		
Total	31	minus	32		
Independent	6	minus	3	2	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					
* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3. * If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20." * If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, enter "3." The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in column 1.					

SMALL ENTITY TYPE <input type="checkbox"/>		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	FEE		RATE	FEE
	380.00	OR		760.00
X\$ 9=		OR	X\$18=	216
X39=		OR	X78=	
+130=		OR	+260=	
TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	976

SMALL ENTITY TYPE <input type="checkbox"/>		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=		OR	X\$18=	
X39=		OR	X78=	
+130=		OR	+260=	
TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	

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RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=		OR	X\$18=	
X39=		OR	X78=	
+130=		OR	+260=	
TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	

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+130=		OR	+260=	
TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	

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TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	